

Chambers of Circuit Judge James L. Dennis *continued*

Judicial: Judge, Louisiana District Court, Fourth Judicial District (1972-1974); Judge, Louisiana Court of Appeal, Second Circuit (1974-1975); Justice, Supreme Court of Louisiana (1975-1995)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1962-1972)

Military Service: United States Army (1955-1957)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association

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Edith Brown Clement
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1948

Education: Alabama 1969 BA; Tulane 1972 JD

Began Service: December 27, 2001

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Political Affiliation: Republican

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable H.W. Christenberry, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana (1973-1975)

Judicial: District Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana (1991-2001)

Legal Practice: Jones, Walker, Waechter, Poitevent, Carrere & Denegre (1975-1991)

Current Memberships: The American Inns of Court; The American Law Institute; Federal Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; Maritime Law Association of the United States

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Began Service: September 2008

Term Expires: September 2009

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Began Service: August 2008

Term Expires: August 2009

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Term Expires: June 2009

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Term Expires: June 2009

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Edward Charles Prado

Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1947

Education: Texas 1969 BA, 1972 JD

Began Service: May 14, 2003

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, County of Bexar, Texas (1972-1976); Federal Public Defender, Western District of Texas, State of Texas (1976-1980); United States Attorney, Western District of Texas, United States Department of Justice (1981-1984); District Judge, Chambers of District Judge Edward C. Prado, United States District Court for the Western District of Texas (1984-2003)

Chambers of Circuit Judge Edward Charles Prado *continued*

Judicial: Judge, Texas District Court, Bexar County (1980)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army (1972-1980)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The American Inns of Court; Federal Bar Association; San Antonio Bar Association; San Antonio Bar Foundation; State Bar of Texas

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Priscilla R. Owen
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1954

Education: Baylor 1976 BA, 1977 JD

Began Service: June 3, 2005

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Political Affiliation: Republican

Judicial: Justice, Supreme Court of Texas (1995-2005)

Legal Practice: Andrews & Kurth L.L.P. (1977-1994)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Houston Bar Association; Houston Bar Foundation, Houston Bar Association

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Leslie H. Southwick
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1950

Education: Rice 1972 BA; Texas 1975 JD

Began Service: October 2007

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Affiliation: Adjunct Professor, Mississippi College; Member, The American Law Institute

Academic: Adjunct Professor of Law, Mississippi College (1985-1989); Adjunct Professor of Law, Mississippi College (1998-2006)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable John Onion, Texas Court of Criminal Appeals (1975-1976); Law Clerk, Chambers of Circuit Judge Charles Clark, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1976-1977)

Government: Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division, Office of the Associate Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1989-1993)

Judicial: Judge, Mississippi Court of Appeals (1995-2006)

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Brunini, Grantham, Grower & Hewes (1977-1989)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army (1992-1997); Mississippi National Guard, United States Department of the Army (1997-2006)

Current Memberships: The Charles Clark American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; The American Law Institute; The Mississippi Bar; The Theodore Roosevelt Association

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Jennifer Walker Elrod
Circuit Judge

Education: Baylor 1988 BA; Harvard 1992 JD

Began Service: October 2007

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Clerkships: Law Clerk, Chambers of District Judge Sim Lake, United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas (1992-1994)

Judicial: 190th District Court Judge, County of Harris, Texas (2002-2007)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Baker Botts L.L.P. (1994-2002)

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Catharina Haynes
Circuit Judge

Education: Florida Tech 1993 BS; Emory 1986 JD

Began Service: April 22, 2008

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Judicial: District Judge, 191st District Court, Texas District Courts (1999-2006)

Legal Practice: Associate, Thompson & Knight LLP (1986-1988); Associate, Baker Botts L.L.P. (1988-1994); Partner, Baker Botts L.L.P. (1995-1998); Partner, Dallas, TX Office, Baker Botts L.L.P. (2007-2008)

Nonprofit: Volunteer Judge, Legal Aid of NorthWest Texas (2003-2006)

Current Memberships: College of the State Bar of Texas; College of the State Bar of Texas; Insurance Law Section, State Bar of Texas; Professional Ethics Committee, State Bar of Texas

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Judicial Assistant **Susan Hudson** (214) 753-2750

Education: Southern Methodist 1985 BA, 1985 BS

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Thomas M. Reavley

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1921

Education: Texas 1942 BA; Harvard 1948 JD; Virginia 1983 LLM

Began Service: 1979

Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Academic: Adjunct Professor of Law, Texas (1958-1959); Lecturer on Law, Baylor University (1976); Lecturer on Law, Texas (1978-1979)

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, State of Texas (1948-1949); Secretary of State, State of Texas (1955-1957)

Judicial: Judge, Texas District Court, 167th Judicial District (1964-1968); Justice, Texas Supreme Court (1968-1977)

Legal Practice: Partner, Bell & Reavley (1949-1950); Private Practice (1950-1951); Collins, Garrison, Renfro & Zeleskey (1951-1952); Partner, Fisher & Reavley (1952-1955); Partner, Powell, Rauhut, McGinnis & Reavley (1957-1964); Counsel, Scott & Douglass (1977-1979)

Military Service: United States Navy (1942-1946)

Chambers of Senior Judge Thomas M. Reavley *continued*

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; State Bar of Texas

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Will Garwood

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1931

Education: Princeton 1952 BA; Texas 1955 LLB

Began Service: November 9, 1981

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable John R. Brown, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1955-1956)

Judicial: Justice, Texas Supreme Court (1979-1980)

Legal Practice: Partner, Graves, Dougherty, Hearon, Moody & Garwood (1959-1979)

Military Service: United States Army (1956-1959)

Current Memberships: American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Texas Bar Foundation, State Bar of Texas

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Education: Baylor 1977 BM, 1979 MM

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Harold R. DeMoss, Jr.
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1930

Education: Rice 1952 BA; Texas 1955 LLB

Began Service: December 13, 1991

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Political Affiliation: Republican

Corporate: Director, Panama Canal Company (1976-1977); Legal Services Corporation (1982-1983)

Government: Member of the Council, Administrative Conference of the United States (1990-1991)

Legal Practice: Associate, Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P. (1957-1961); Partner, Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P. (1961-1991)

Military Service: United States Army (1955-1957)

Current Memberships: Federal Judges Association; Houston Bar Association; Maritime Law Association of the United States; State Bar of Texas

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